

2026 Engineering & Staking Conference

Wednesday, April 29

8 a.m.	Registration
8:15-10 a.m.	Breakers & Line Reclosers Chris Graff, Sioux Valley Energy
10 a.m.-12 p.m.	NESC/RUS Refresher, Work Order Inspections, & Power Loss Factor on URD Line Jeremy Kalt, Star Energy
12-1 p.m.	Break for Lunch
1-4 p.m.	VLF/Tan Delta Cable Imaging & Fault Finding Megger Manufacturing

Thursday, April 30

8-9:30 a.m.	Staking Systems & Software, GPS Devices & Mapping Rushmore Electric Power Cooperative
9:30-11 a.m.	Overhead & URD Line Design DGR
11 a.m. -12 p.m.	Closing Remarks

This course is part of the SDREA Education Package B.

If you did not purchase Package B, then the fee is \$750 plus tax per participant.



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Theatre 1

Ramkota Hotel & Conference Center
Pierre, S.D.

Who Should Attend:

Engineers and personnel involved with line staking.

Meeting Registration:

Register online at <https://sdrea.coop>

Please complete your registration
by April 22.

Room Reservations:

Both room blocks are listed under REA (SD)
Engineering.

Ramkota Hotel & Conference Center

Contact the Ramkota directly by calling
605-224-6877, with a room rate of \$139 plus tax.
Cut-off date is March 29, 2026.

Clubhouse Inn & Suites

Contact the Clubhouse directly by calling
605-494-2582, with a room rate of \$139 plus tax.
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